

11 September 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: George V. Lauder
Director, Public Affairs

SUBJECT: Invitation to Address the Standard Club of Chicago

1. Action Requested: Please choose a date to address a luncheon meeting of the Standard Club in Chicago.

2. Background: Mr. David W. Smerling, Chairman of the Civic Affairs Committee of the The Standard Club, at the suggestion of Club member Michael Shaw invited you to be the guest speaker at one of their luncheon meetings in Chicago. You declined at that time (mid August), but noted you would be willing at a later date. The Standard Club has come back with a list of available dates. (See opposite page).

3. Recommendation: None. If you still wish to speak to this group, please check on the letter the date that would be the most convenient. If you no longer wish to address the group, please let me know. Indicate your preference and have Public Affairs make the appropriate response.


George V. Lauder

Attachment

DECLINE ALL DATES:


Director of Central Intelligence

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20505

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13 August 1984

Mr. David W. Smerling
Chairman of the Civic
Affairs Committee
The Standard Club
320 Plymouth Court
Chicago, IL 60604

Dear Mr. Smerling:

Thank you for inviting CIA Director William J. Casey to address the luncheon meeting of The Standard Club of Chicago in October.

Mr. Casey has asked me to extend his regrets. Due to tentative travel plans and a full schedule of official duties, he will not be able to join you in October. Perhaps we can get together on dates in late November or sometime after that.

Sincerely,

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George V. Lauder
Director, Public Affairs

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28 June 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: George V. Lauder
Director of Public Affairs

AH. ER 84-2671

SUBJECT: Invitation to Address The Standard Club of Chicago

1. Action Requested: Accept or decline an invitation to address a luncheon meeting of The Standard Club of Chicago, preferably during the week of either 15 October or 22 October, or any other convenient date thereafter.

2. Background: Mr. David W. Smerling, Chairman of the Civic Affairs Committee of The Standard Club, at the suggestion of Club member Michael Shaw, has invited you to be the guest speaker at one of their luncheon meetings. You could expect an audience of approximately 300 people. [redacted] confirmed that The Standard Club is one of the city's most prestigious and respected social clubs, comparable in stature to the Chicago Club that you addressed 4 April. The wealthy and influential membership of professional and financial leaders includes most of Chicago's prominent Jewish citizens. Recent speakers were Joseph Cardinal Bernardin; Mr. Irving Kristol, managing editor of Commentary Magazine; and author Edwin Black, author of "The Transfer Agreement." (Additional information appears opposite).

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Since The Standard Club is private, they allow neither media coverage nor press conferences. Publicity would be minimal, but your appearance would be mentioned in their newsletter. Only members and guests--which could include foreign nationals--are admitted.

3. Recommendation: You may wish to accept this invitation, but opt for a date to be determined later when you can work it into some other program in the Mid or Far West. Indicate your preference and have Public Affairs make the appropriate response.

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[redacted]
George V. Lauder

ACCEPT:

DECLINE:

Director of Central Intelligence/s/ William J. CaseyDirector of Central Intelligence10 AUG 1984Date

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TO: Director, Public Affairs		
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REMARKS:		
<p>[redacted] telephoned saying that he had arranged for the DCI to be invited to speak to this group. The DCI knows [redacted] although I do not know how well - he did not speak w/him re this request although he is aware of it.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">STAT</p>		
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Remarks

Recommendation please to DCI.


Executive Secretary

20 June 84

Date

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The Standard Club

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*320 Plymouth Court
Chicago, Ill. 60604*

June 18, 1984

Mr. William J. Casey
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Mr. Casey:

Mr. Michael S. Shaw, a member of The Standard Club, suggested that we write to you regarding the possibility of you honoring us as one of our guest speakers here at the Club.

The Standard Club is a private club of distinction which has been in existence since 1869 and enjoys an outstanding membership of 2,000 people. The Club has a program whereby we invite prominent guest speakers to participate in our Lunch & Learn series, sponsored by the Civic Affairs Committee. Normally these luncheons are scheduled at 12 p.m. on Thursdays. Members and their guests enjoy a delectable luncheon with a stimulating speaker, beginning promptly at noon and running for not quite two hours. Two recent guests of our Lunch & Learn series were Joseph Cardinal Bernardin and Mr. Irving Kristol, managing editor of Commentary Magazine. Approximately 300 people were in attendance at the Cardinal Bernardin affair.

We would be delighted if you could arrange your schedule to speak at The Standard Club the week of October 15th and/or the week of October 22nd. Our preference would be luncheon on a Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday; however, we will wait to hear what is convenient for you.

I am enclosing some recent literature which will give you an idea of the type of speakers we have here at the Club. Since this is a private facility we do not allow publicity outside of the premises, nor do we allow press conferences. We'll look forward to hearing from you with a confirming date. Your contact at the Club is Ms. Sharee C. Kapsh @ (312) 427-9100. In the meantime, if I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

David W. Smerling

David W. Smerling
Chairman of the
Civic Affairs Committee

cc: Mr. James R. Loewenberg
Mr. Michael S. Shaw

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